

Universal Screening/Assessment and Referral Process

- Perform Developmental Screenings at intervals recommended by the screening tool (ex. ASQ-3™).
- Perform Autism Specific Screen at 18 and 24 months or when concerns (ex. MCHAT™).
- Screen for social & emotional development at intervals recommended by the screening tool (ex. ASQ:SE™).

Screening/Assessment Results & Next Steps:

Screening and referral process should be done in partnership with the family, & be based on individual child's needs.
If family has concerns, please refer to appropriate services, regardless of screening test result.

Level 1: Indicates Typical Development	Level 2: Concern identified in one area	Level 3: Concern in Multiple Areas
<p>Screening score scores <u>strength</u> or <u>typical</u> in all areas</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide family with anticipatory guidance 2. Provide family with activities for building competencies in all areas including development & social & emotional development 3. Monitor and rescreen based on the screening tool recommended intervals 	<p>Screening scores <u>one or more area with concern</u> or <u>potential delay</u>, but overall screening is in <u>typical range</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Monitor—rescreen area(s) of concern 2. Consider facilitated referral* to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary healthcare provider and/or; • Hearing & vision assessment and/or; • Home visiting program (0-5 years) and/or; • Title 1 Preschool 3. Follow up: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With referral source if made • Provide family with learning activities to focus on area(s) of concern 4. Rescreen based on the screening tool recommended intervals 	<p>Overall screening results is <u>concern</u> or <u>potential delay in multiple areas</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Facilitated Referral* for further evaluation and/or services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary healthcare provider (if screening is completed by healthcare provider, refer to developmental pediatrician) and/or; • Early Intervention Specialist and/or; • Inclusions Services and/or; • Mental Health provider (ex. LCSW, LPC, Psy.D., LMFT, etc.) and/or; • Child psychiatrist 2. Follow up: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With referral source if made • Provide family with learning activities to focus on areas of concern 3. Rescreen based on the screening tool recommended intervals

***Facilitated Referral –**

1. Have staff assist parent with making referral.
2. Send information related to screening results to referral.
3. Follow up with referral source to ensure referral received, appointment occurred and to obtain results.